

fact contain such identification, and Applicants thank the Examiner for his indication during the interview of January 30, 2003 that this objection would be withdrawn.

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph on page 19, directly under the heading "System Architecture" with the following:

C1 Referring first to Figure 1A, in that figure is depicted computer network 103 operatively connecting computer system 100 to one or more additional computer systems represented here as computer systems 101 and 102. Computer system 100, described in more detail below, may be any of a number of commercially available computer systems, including a conventional server or workstation. Such systems may include, for example, one or more microprocessors, computer memory, conventional communication circuitry (e.g., a modem) and other commonly available peripherals. Computer systems 101 and 102, and other computers that interface with network 103, may also be such workstations or servers, or may comprise any type of commercially available personal computers capable of communicating over a computer network. Those of ordinary skill in the art will recognize that network 103 may connect to any number of additional computers. Network 103 represents a public or private computer network. The Internet is one example of such a network, though other types of networks are possible within the scope of the inventions described herein.

In the Claims

✓ ✓ Please cancel claims 1 and 121-128 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter claimed therein.

✓ ✓ Please amend claims 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 15 as follows:

C2 2. (Amended) A method for recruiting a person to participate as a subject in a clinical study, comprising the steps of:

(a) presenting one or more web pages that allow the person or a caregiver associated